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Lane closures set March 9 for Illinois 167 at Wataga

Site being prepped for culvert replacement

WATAGA – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that work to prepare the intersection of Illinois 167 and Depot Road in Wataga for a culvert replacement begins Monday, March 9.

The preliminary work involves tree removal, relocation of utilities and a temporary widening, and will require intermittent lane closures. The entire project is expected to be completed in November.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. To avoid the work area, when feasible, use of alternate routes should be considered. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to changed conditions and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits, refrain from using mobile devices and be alert for workers and equipment.

For IDOT District 4 updates, follow us on Twitter at <u>@IDOTDistrict4</u> or view area construction details on IDOT's <u>traveler information map</u> on GettingAroundIllinois.com and <u>www.gettingaroundpeoria.com</u>.

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